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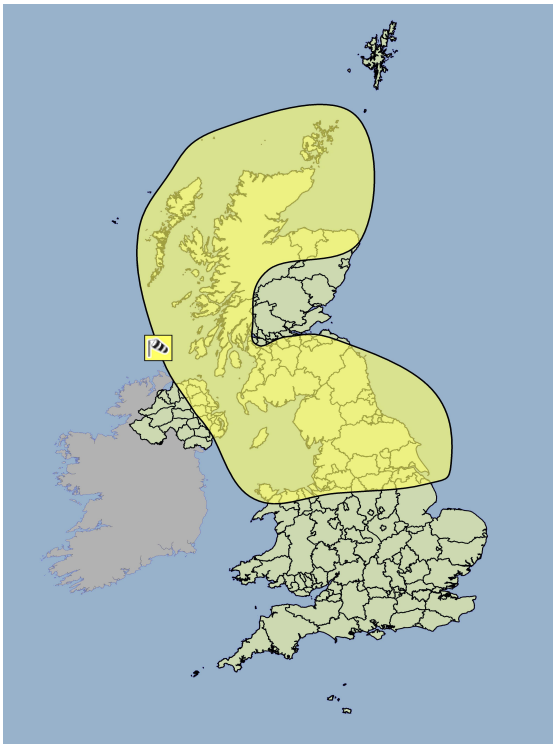

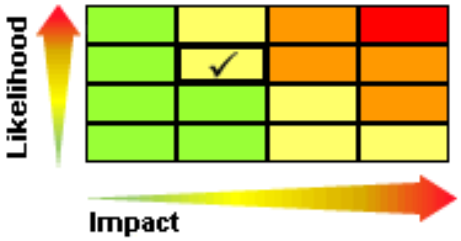

Chief Forecasters Assessment
Strong winds developing around the western and southwestern flanks of an area of low pressure, will lead to gusts into the 50's mph around exposed northern coasts and locally inland, especially over hills. Winds will come from a direction between west and north.

While such wind gusts would not be unusual in the autumn and winter, they are likely to pose a few more problems coming in the summer holiday period, especially for those engaged in outdoor activities such as sailing or hill walking. Some minor disruption to transport is possible, for example delays to ferries, bridge restrictions and perhaps minor damage to trees.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Wind**

Valid from **03:00 on Sun, 17th Aug 2014** until **23:45 on Sun, 17th Aug 2014**

Strong winds are expected Sunday and overnight into Monday morning, bringing some large waves to coastal areas. In addition, there will be rain or frequent showers, leading to wet conditions over northern Scotland in particular.

The public should be aware of possible minor disruption, particularly to transport, and of the risks to those engaged in outdoor activities.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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